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Dear Sir:

Applicant requests a three-month extension of time from March 30, 2003, to June 30, 2003 to respond to the Office Action of December 30, 2002.

Our check in the amount of \$930.00 to cover the fee for such an extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge any additional fees to our Deposit Account No. 01-1960. One copy of this letter is enclosed for such purpose.

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